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## قاعدة بيانات الامثال والحكم الشعبية

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Admonish your friends in private praise them in public

As you are so will your governors be

As you make your bed so you must lie in it

Be content with your lot one cannot be first in everything

Burn not your house to fright the mouse away

Catch your bear before you sell its skin

Choose a wife by your ear rather than by your eye

Cut your coat according to your cloth

Deliver your words not by number but by weight

Despise your purse but consider your person

Destroy the seed of evil or it will grow up to your ruin

Do not cast your pearls before swine

Don't count your chickens before they are hatched

Don't cut off your nose to spite your face

Don't make a rod for your own back

Don't put all your eggs in one basket

Don't quarrel with your bread and butter

Don't teach your grandmother to suck eggs

Don't wash your dirty linen in public

Do not wear out your welcome

Do your duty then claim you right

Dogs wag their tails no so much in love to you as to your bread

**Every difficulty slurred over will be a ghost to disturb your repose later on**

**Every hour out of bed after midnight is a nail in your coffin**

**First catch your hare**

**First plan your work then work your plan**

**Go not to the extreme in your love and hate**

**Hide not your light under a bushel**

**Hitch your wagon to a star**

**Hoist your sail when the wind is fair**

**I will not pull the thorn out of your foot and put it into my own**

**If you cannot bite never show your teeth**

**Know your own faults before blaming others for theirs**

**Lend your money and lose your friend**

**Let not the sun go down on your wrath**

**Let not your tongue cut your throat**

**Let not your wits go wool-gathering**

**Love your neighbour yet pull not down your fence**

**Make a page of your own age**

**Make your enemy your friend**

**Mind your own business**

**Never lay sorrow to your heart when others lay it to their heels**

**Never spend your money before you have it**

**Never tell your enemy that your foot aches**

**Paddle your own canoe**

**Seek till you find and you'll not lose your labour**

**Stretch your legs according to your coverlet**

**Try your friend before you trust him**

**You cannot touch pitch and keep your hands clean**

**You must ask your neighbour if you shall live in peace**

**You must cut your coat according to your cloth**

**Your looking-glass will tell you what none of your friends will**

**Better to die on your feet than live on your knees**

**Never choose your women or your linen by candlelight**

**Do not count your chickens before they are hatched**

**Do not cut off your nose to spite your face**

**Feed a dog for three days and he will remember your kindness for three years feed**

**A cat for three years and she will forget your kindness in three days**

**Do not put all your eggs in one basket**

**If you would be happy for a week take a wife if you would be happy for a month kill a pig but if you would be happy all your life plant a garden**

**You cannot have your cake and eat it**

**Keep your own fish-guts for your own sea-maws**

**Keep your shop and your shop will keep you**

**As you make your bed so you must lie upon it**

**If you gently touch a nettle it'll sting you for your pains grasp it like a lad of mettle an' as soft as silk remains**

**You pays your money and you takes your choice**

**Please your eye and plague your heart**

**If you sit by the river for long enough you will see the body of your enemy float by**

**It is not spring until you can plant your foot upon twelve daisies**

**Stretch your arm no further than your sleeve will reach**

**Never let the sun go down on your anger**

**Do not teach your grandmother to suck eggs**

**Do not throw out your dirty water until you get in fresh**

**Trust in god but tie your camel**

**Put your trust in god and keep your powder dry**

**Walnuts and pears you plant for your heirs**

**Eat and drink with your relatives make business with strangers**